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Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in Response to office mailed July 17, 2006** in the above-captioned application.

☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☒ An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.

☒ A Request for Extension of Time.

☒ 8 Replacement sheets of drawings.

☐ No additional fee is required.

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